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TELEGRAMS. REUTER'S

REPORTED ASSASSINATION OF KING OF ITALY.

STORY SAID TO BE TOTALLY BASELESS.

London, February 28. Reports from Berlin have spread through the Continent to the effect that the King of Italy has been assassinated. Reuter is informed that the reports are totally baseless.

PRELIMINARY PEACE TERMS.

STRINGENT NAVAL CONDITIONS.

London, Februar 28. The Times' Paris correspondent says the maval terms of preliminary peace are practically identical for Germany, Austria,

Turkey and Bulgaria. They provide for:-Complete disarmament, the Germans to be called on hand over the battleships Oldenburg, Thueringen.

Friesland, Helgoland, Posen, Westfalen, Rheinland and Naisau; the cruisers Pillau, Graudenz, Regensburg, Stralsund, Augsburg, Kolburg and Stuttgart; ninety-two modern torpedo boats; The Heligoland fortifications and harbours to be destroyed by the Germans at their own expense, the fate of the island itself to be decided by the Peace Conference; All fortifications defending access to the Baltic to be razed;

The Kiel Canal to be open to warships and merchantmen of all

nations: Thirty-one German and forty Austro-Hungarian merchant

cruisers and auxiliaries to be treated as merchantmen; The German cable system, comprising fourteen cables, to be returned to previous owners:

The wireless stations at Nauen, Hanover, Berlin, Vienna, Budapest and Pola to be restricted to commercial use; An Austrian Fleet of thirteen battleships, twelve cruisers seventy torpedo boats, thirty-three submacines and twelve Danube monitors to he handed over to the Allies; and Turkish and Bulgarian

warships to be treated similarly.

THE LABOUR CONFERENCE.

A TEMPORARY COMMITTEE PROPOSED.

London, February 27. At the Labour Conference, Mr. Arthur Henderson moved a resolution for the appointment of a committee of employers and imployees, including women, to consider the present crisis and Midsequently the appointment of a National Industrial Council. He warned the Conference to remember that all industries were not represented by the Triple Alliance (the three Unions mentioned by Mr. Thomas) and therefore suggested the appointment of a temporary Committee, consisting of thirty each from the employers and employees, to deal with existing problems.

Mr. Sturt Bunning, Chairman of the Trades Union Congress; seconding, declared that this was no attempt to side-track the negotiations at present proceeding between the Government and particular trades.

PRICE OF SILVER.

COVERNMENT FIXES A MAXIMUM.

London, February 27. The Treasury has fixed the maximum price of silver bullion in the United Kingdom at 473/4d. per standard ounce, from February 20.

AMERICAN SILVER FOR CHINA. London, February 27.

Messrs. Samuel, Montagu and Company's report says the market remains quietly steady. Shanghai exchange has receded to 4/71/2, doubtless owing to completion of the arrangement whereby China will receive quite a substantial amount of silver from America.

SEAMEN IN CONFERENCE.

SOME INTERNATIONAL DEMANDS. London, March 1.

The International Seafarers' Conference has passed a resolution in favour of compulsory pilotage in order to relieve Captains when nearing ports. It also adopted an Italian resolution in favour of an international minimum wage at all ports, which it was decided to transfer to the Conference in Paris, in order to induce the Peace Conference to establish a permanent seafaring organisation with a view to uniform labour conditions.

LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

U. S. REPUBLICANS' OPPOSITION.

Washington, February 28. In the Senate, Senator Lodge, the Republican leader, voiced American Republican opposition to the League of Nations, contending that the League contravened the Monroe Doctrine and would involve America in all foreign disputes, substitute internationalism. for nationalism and be a benefit principally to Europe.

A statement issued from White House denies, on behalf of President Wilson, the references to the Irish question cabled last . evening.

TRIBUTE BY AN ENEMY GENERAL.

Copenhagen, February 28. A message from Berlin says General Lettow Vorbeck, in an Anterview with a representative of the Wolff Bureau at Rotterdam. said he wished to declare that the treatment of himself and his men by the British, especially during the home journey, was very considerate and tactful.

DUTCH MILITARY POLICY

PRECAUTIONS AGAINST ANNEXATIONS.

The Hague, February 28. In the Second Chamber, the War Minister, replying to the Army Estimates debate, said disarmament at present would be most dangerous. The Army must be prepared against any attempts to annex parts of Holland. Measures had been taken with a view to a necessary second mobilisation. Partial demobi-Bisation did not mean that Holland would have to allow Limburg and Dutch Flanders to be torn like a fleece from a sheep.

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

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THE LABOUR CONFERENCE.

London, Feb. 87. Labour Conference the Premier said there was plenty of commonsense in the country and in the end we were practical people. He therefore appealed to the employers to be more frank with their employees. There could be no improved welfare without improved efficiency and we must tighten up and quicken our industries as the war had taught us to do. The wise employer would. see that the worker get a fair share of the profits. It was the business of the State to be impostial in industrial disputes. and guard the interests of the whole community.

The Premier welcomed Mr. Henderson's suggestion for a committee of inquiry into industrial unrest and its causes. He urged them to act before they separated. He dreaded stagnation. If Britain stood still France and America would stand still and a catastrophe would follow. We wen the warby unity. (Loud cheers). Let us have the same unity in peace. Thus would we make this country one the like of which has never been seen before. (Loud cheers).

The Premier said there were other contributory causes ... to the unrest. The workers naturally aspired to secure a higher and better standard of life in future. The whole nation would sympathise with the aspiration. He was convinced that the employers were prepared to go further than most of the workmen imagined

The Chairman put Mr. Henderson's resolution, which was declared carried by a large majority. Steps were then taken to select thirty names each for

AFGHANISTAN AFFAIRS.

the committee.

London, Peb. 27. In the House of Lords, replying to Lord Lamington, Lord Curron stated that apparently while the Amir was. camping near Kabul his tent was entered in the early morning of Feb. 20. He was killed by abots and also stabbed. The body was taken to Kabul by members of the family. It was unknown whether the assassination was due to religious or fanatical reasons or reasons of politics or domestic-intrigue. After paying a high tribute to the late Amir's loyalty to Britain Lord Curson added that apparently he is succeeded by his brother Nasrullah Khan, who immediate ly sent a letter to the Government of India conched in the friendliest and most loyal terms. A suitable reply had been sent. There was no reason to suppose that there would be any interruption of the friendly relations between Britain and Afghanistan, whose independence we desired to maintain.

AMERICA AND THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

London Feb. . In his statement on the League of Nations, cabled earlier. President Wilson denied that the League meant the naurpation of the powers of Congress to declare war. He said the strength of the League would rest upon the friendship and goodwill of America, Britain, France, Italy and Japan. Serious trouble between them was unthinkable. Provision for disarmament would not interfere with military training The President did not regard internal domestic relations like immigration within the jurisdiction of the League and said Ireland would not have a vote in the League at present The Irish question was one for later solution between Ireland and Britain. The Monroe Doctrine would be guaranteed by all members of the League.

ITALY AND JUGO-SLAVIA.

Paris, Feb. 28. The Jugo-Slave have presented their claims to the Conference. According to an Italian statement the Jugo-Slavs claim the whole of Istria with Trieste, Finme and the Dalmatian Islanda except Pelagosa. Italian Headquarters report that the Jugo-Slavs ordered a general mobilisation, which was stopping food supplies to south-eastern Europe. Hence Italy suspended the return of the Jugo-Slav prisoners taken from the Austrians. The Italian delegation telestes that the Jugo-Slav authorities at Imbach on Feb. 20 expelled the Italian military mission there and the Italian Government, which never recognised Jugo-Slavis, responded by closing the armistice frontier. It also asserts that Berbians attacked a train with repatriated homeward bound Italians at Laibach station and tore down and burned Italian field decorating the train.

The Jugo-Slav delegation denies the Italian reports of mobilisation of the Jugo-Slavs. It declares the army was disbanded after the defeat of Austria and is now reorganising on a restricted basis involving the calling up of certain classes of younger men; but this is in no way a general mobilisation. It asserts that the Italians are continually landing troops on the Dalmation coast and entrenching at Fiume and elsewhere. The Italian-Jugo-Slav situation is not regarded here is alarming though likely to complicate the work of the Peace Conference; but if the latter is able to consider the rival claims shortly a peaceable solution is expected to be found.

DAY BY DAY.

owing to the unexpected arrival achieved in conjunction with all canvas. This has won for tion, we are doing quite well on (U.S. Gazette.) of the vessel to-day, she will Fredomy changes his voice for appellation of decorative, though not have missed it. In health we leave a day earlier.

tragedy can be performed by a the dialogue in twenty minutes. his landscape work the this trip, and personally I would

Yesterday witnessed the open- are assured a thousand laughs- in his mind the words "art" are characteristic of the sponing games in the above H. K.O.C. that is a conservative estimate, but and "decoration." Where his taneity with which he draws. tennia tournament. Wong Po hibrious persons may exceed this sim is more consciously decor- The precision with which he puts Kennig to F. A. Redmond horse-power. "The about in the stire, as in his illustrated books, expressive faces into his ilin the Singles (thampionship 5-7, Olock is a five-character play, we see how successful he is histrations, are all part of an art 6-3, 6-4, 0-6, 4-8. In the Doubles Altogether a most enjoyable pro- in with the decorative that comes easily and with de-Championship, Green and Abra gramme is promised. The bill results and in conveying to us light from the artist. A deep "Bought end Paid For J.1 ham lost to Reworth and Morse, will include dancing enging the essence of the things that he love for where is everywhere purification of the expression and is the scottic tyles of the safe part organization of the safe part organization of the safe part of the

"PINKIE AND THE FAIRIES."

AN APPRECIATION OF THE AUTHOR'S ART.

Mr. Graham Robertson (author of "Pinkie and the Fairnes") is possessed of that enveterious shilly which some artists show in their slightest short of unlocking our mind to romantio of the Hongkong contingent sent adventure and, as far as he carries it hisart is in a mone perfected. it touches another point in his sympathy with children. In nothing more than its deference towards the thoughts of children way to some town up on the Peking is powerless to enforce is the present age characterised. Black Sea coast, to join the the armistice. A tenderness which finds mystic Division to which we have been expression in art, and has not posted. We are only a small poster commented marter myself. Others of our company son, the wither of "The Golden left to follow. Age," and others, were called by the love of beauty to this kind of religion, with its ritual of flowers and its interest in defendeless things. Mr. Robertson's Mack of May Morning' is dedicated to the sovereignty of children, the coursiership of flowers.

The coloured programme cover for "Pinkie and the Fairies cannot be made more complete by words; it is a happy example to of his charming art in its cultivat- mounting lorries to proceed ed simplicity. It has a finished to a M. T. depot six ed the President on the 4th, simple and interesting quality of kilos away. There we joined a enquiring as to the suspension of colour conveying the night of large convoy of lorries and came the Conference, and expressing fairyland,—the pale blue night on to this town, which is nearly hopes that it will soon continue. hat hange as a curtain behind 60 miles from Salonica. the trees where the roses are darkened but do not sleep.

mand attention, for much of the famous fighting scenes. The Enemy subjects will sail on the same spirit that animates his Struma River was crossed, and 10th instant. Glasgow school; his painting is that name, all of which figured the meeting is unknown. light and fluid, his methods of so prominently in the fight. The Northern delegates, meetthe simplest, as are the methods against the Bulgars last year, ing by themselves yesterday, deof that school. With an inspira- The road passes right through cided that it could not do anything theirs is the vital art in England on to the Struma Valley, and we yam (Southern Commander in to-day.

teristic in his books decide his parties of Bulgar and Turk pri- accept Yee's telegram for Shangchoice of subject in painting. soners, who appeared to be well hai to which Peking has agreed. Cinderella's sisters have always very disinterested and light Shi Fan, the Shensi Tuchun, does suffered under an injustice work. to their memory. Cinderella was not old enough to "come The country is extremely demand his removal. out that season, when she barren, and trenches and old The Southern delegates, also escaped to the party, and it is barbed wire abound everywhere, meeting by themselves, decided utterly improbable that she was The town of Seres is a ramshackle that they must set according to the drudge of the kitchen. Her looking place and was evacuated the manifesto. sisters, besutiful as may be, and by the Bulgars before they threw not in the least bit ugly, were their hand in. The occupants ladies at Court; it is probable seem none too well-blessed and the that Cinderella just pottered poorer of them simply pester one round the still-room, learning with their begging. At first sight the arts of housekseping, it is easy to see that chivalrous intention to whitewash position here, for the place is a the sisters is of a piece with the maze of trenches. passion for whitewash that of sainta

each of the characters, this slone it is seldom that decoration, as are quite it. being a triumph of seting. In such, is his aim in this class of the Comedy Musical Act work. It is significant, however, A Fellow Full of Fun we that he admits he cannot separate

IN THE BALKANS.

WITH A HONGKONG CONTINGENT.

On Famous Battlefields.

Mr. A. Morley, of the Hongkong Telegraph staff, who was one to Kirkee and later proceeded to the Balkans, writes as follows :-

Seres, January 17.

ralism remainst another. Steven- have preceded us and some are Shanghai Conference.

actually got orders to more two inst. It ambodies five articles days ago. In real service kit and its tone is very strong. and carrying ten days rations, Chenne Sin-ki, the Delimitation we left our camp near Salonica Commissioner, is satisfied and in motor lomes and proceeded will proceed to Shensi within that afternoon to a rest camp at fibree days. Guverne a bese made great use . After the issue of the above make breakfast

but nevertheless quite interest time, as the Conference may Mr. Robertson's paintings de ing, for we passed through some resume at any time. illustrative work is apparent in on our right we passed Rupel tion received from Whistler, a range of hills bafore it emerges until the receipt from Yu Yauhad some glorious views of snow-capped hills and green valleys. Therefore they wired Peking to The conceits that are charac- Working on the road were instruct the telegraph offices to According to Mr. Robertson, kept and clothed in exchange for They also decided that if Chan

To-Day's Exchange.

The closing rate of the dollar on demand to-day was 3c. 1.3-16d. The Weather.

Forecast dair. Barometer: 29.95. Temperature 2 p.m.: -78 -Humidity & panes: 68.

TO-DAY'S CHINESE TELEGRAMS.

(Wah Tex Yot Po Service).

Pekings March 5 Sir John Jordan has had a lengthy conversation with the President presumbly aggarding the Banglet Conference For-Here we are actually on our eign preser opinion shows that

It is reported that the Allied Ministers are considering the part in mentionentality, represents party of eight, the Hongkong presentation of another Aide

as distinctly one phase of modern is lows of us being Crew, Space Provincial organisations have art and of the state as the Rodger, Rapley, Weston and telegraphed urging Peking to hand all secret agreements to the

Shanghai: March 5. The Armistice Mandate was After several remours, we issued on the evening of the 3rd,

of by the British in the fighting Mandate, the President and last autumn. We stayed there of Nanking, accordingly, asking the night and man at 120 of Nanking, accordingly, asking the night and rose at 4.30 him to arrange to continue the before Conference. The British Minister interview-

Kai-kin-seking that the delegates The ride was dusty and cold, should not leave Shanghai mean-

The Cabinet held a secret meeting yesteriay regarding the these. He paints in a manner Pass, whilst on our left was payment of the War Participathat shows the influences of the Lake Doiran and the town of tion War balance. The result of

not stop fighting after he has received the Mandate, they will

HAIG'S REWARD.

That Sir Douglas Haig has refused reward for his services until Peace has actually been stiended by her maids. This Johnny Bulgar had made a strong signed is now certain, and the influenced by the inadequate rewards that have been offered his We are staying at a rest camp subordinates raises the question belongs to our generation a here until we are ordered to of what should be granted to the generation so unbelieving that proceed by train to our destina- Field Marshal. If Lord Robits's its unbelief in the existence of tion, and we hear that our journey services in South Africa ware To-night at the Victoria bad and agly people is fast may take 10 days or 20-all worth £100,000, surely Sir how all characters in a somical turning history into a calendar of according to circumstances. At Douglas Haig should receive five. any rate, we are looking forward times that amount at least, be-The Hon. Mr. J. H. Kemp, single character. Chinesetaphy his landscape work, Mr. to an interesting trip, hideously sides being granted a high patent C. B. E., will leave for Home on its the art of presenting at inthe as. Kitano Maru, to-morrow.

Man in the Clock "Freddom will patition, the sense of things as a frost on the ground is a thing than Haig has done. If he had patition, the sense of things as a frost on the ground is a thing than Haig has done. If he had patition, the sense of things as a Mr. Kemp was to have left by be seen in twenty-nine changes. picture, and faculty for seeing that calls forth real courage. a free hand he might have this steamer on Saturday but These are instantaneous, and are nature within the square of his Taking everything into considers accomplished his test in 1916.

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Berlin, Sunday, January 5 .--Like most of my comrades in the Navy, I am preparing myself for a new profession, in the selection of which my familiarity with American perseverance and confidence is proving an inspiring factor," said Capt. Karl Boy-Ed, former naval attache at the Germany Embassy at Washington, in reply to an inquiry as to his plans for the future.

· Captain Boy-Ed indicated that he was likely to engage in some commercial pursuit.

"The revolution in the German Navy was part of a general movement," he said in discussing the political cataclysm that has come to Germany. The Independent Socialists and Spartacus adherents prepared for it long ago. Recent revelations by Adolph Joffe, the Bolshevist Ambassador at Berlin, showed that Russian gold played a decisive role in the movement. On the other hand, the extraordinary influence exerted upon the resisting qualities of the German people by the propaganda conducted by Lord Northcliffe does not as yet appear

to be fully realised. "Independent Socialist leaders recently declared with almost cynical candour that the outbreak of the revolution was planned for November 4. By a coincidence the German high seas fleet was mobilised on October 13 for an attack on the Flemish coast, and this put the avalanche into

motion prematurely. "Revolutionary leaders used this as a pretext to inciting the men to insubordination, telling them they were to be led to the shambles at the last moment. Many timid men who had previously been loyal were thus won over.

"Capt. Boy-Ed recounted has experiences during the Kiel revolution. He said:

When the first evidence of insubordination appeared, a meeting was held on a ship of the first squadron. Conversations between the commander and crew revealed no complaints on the part of the men regarding mistreatment by officers. The men's complaints were based wholly on political and military views. That insubordination and mutiny in isolated sections of various crews. and the revolution that followed, physical and psychical collapse of the people, who, after four years of grinding war with the greater part of the world, had reached the limit of its resources.

"The revolution has heaped upon the Fatherland disgrace that is almost intolerable. It brought with it undignified conduct by thoughtiess elements among the soldiers and civilians. But even these sad occurrences cannot minimise the accomplishments of Germany in the progress of this war. The great mass of the people remain the people of

Goethe and Wagner. 'I am confident and hopeful that the Fatherland, by inborn diligence and soul searching, will succeed in rescuing itself out of the mire into which it has been dragged by the unscrupulousness of a small portion of its population and through the exploitation of it helplessness.

"It is out of the question for me to continue my naval career, as it is foreign to my nature to confer with the Soldiers' and Workmen's Councils as to military matters. I never could have served an hour under the Red Flag, which I learned to despise during my operations against the Russians. My love for the Navy was killed at Wilhelmshaven, Harwich, and Scapa Flow."

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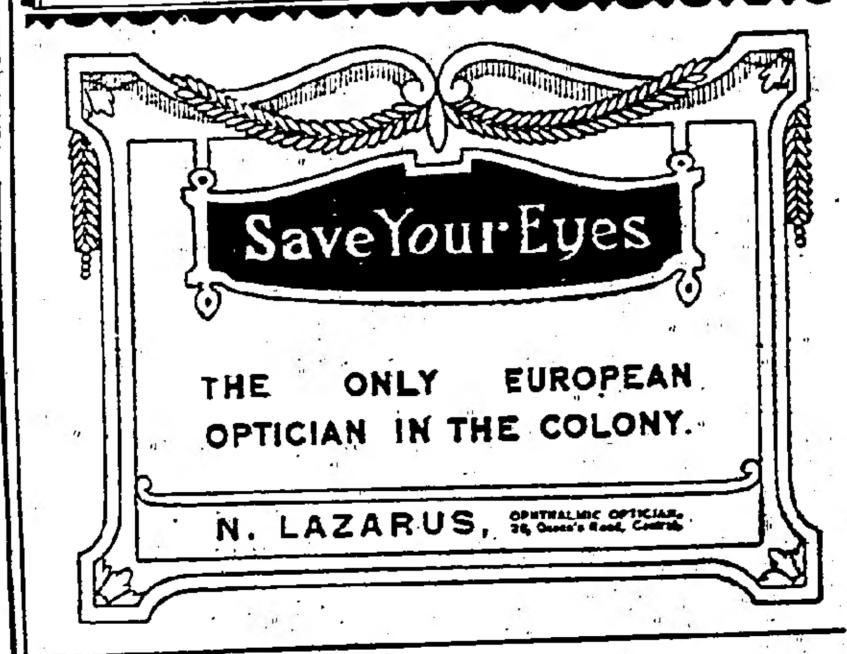
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JEWS' RIGHT TO PALESTINE.

If the war has done no other good it has at least shed the light of modern thought on some of the dark corners of the earth, and nowhere in all the warring countries has more good been accomplished in such a short space of time than in Palestine, for four centuries under the benighted rule of Turkey. Reuter's Agency cautions should be taken to guard says one the Church for its rendering, then a addition to our Reserve, and in buttonholing me whenever I yesterday told us that the Zionist de egates (Drs. Hokolow and against a possible epidemic. play was the clever performance doubly good work is being done. that way have strengthened the come within hail. They sit about Weizmann), who were heard by the Peace Conference at Paris claimed the right of the Jews to constitute Palestine as a National Home under the trusteeship of Great Britain as mandatory of the Chinese communities, for there is was portrayed as to the life, her gratulate Lieut. Mann most we have purposely made the their packages, and regarding League of Nations. . The rights of all existing non-Jewish communities would be respected and safeguarded. The Zionists have forelock in matters of such proclaimed to the world that the Jewish people still lives and wants gravity. An ounce of preventto live, but the restoration of Palestine which they demand is not ion is worth many pounds of cure. the restoration of a vast number of individual Jews as free citizens! A NEW BANKING ENTERPRISE. of whatever state may be established there, nor merely the extension of the present system of Jewish colonies owning scattered be attached to the British bank. be implicated in pillaging in the districts, with freedom to manage their own business and local ing amalgamation which has just village Tai Kon was this mornaffairs. It is the establishment of the Jews as a nation under been formed. We refer to the ling remanded to gaol by Mr. J. Jewish law, in possession of the whole of the Jewish land, and establishment of the British Over- R. Wood, where he is to await using, of course, the Hebrew language. Their own words are "a seas Bank, the capital for which the orders of the Government. Jewish Palestine" and "the establishment of a Jewish national has been furnished by the Anglo- Addressing him, Mr. Wood said: home." This term also appears in the memorable declaration of South-American Bank, the Glyn- "You will be sent to Canton on Great Britain to the Jews through Mr. Balfour: "A home for Mills-Currie Bank, the Northern Judaism, for Jewish civilisation, as well for some millions of Jews Banking Co., the Union Bank of in the ancient land of Israel."

The Jews want Palestine, the whole country, to be the consBank. Thescheme represents home of the Jews and they want to live under their own an entirely new development in expiration of 15 days from to-day laws, not indeed with the outward shell of a State, but British banking, a development and that you have a right to apply. with the inner kernel of free and independent institutions. This which has become very necessary to the Supreme Court for a write desire is most natural to a people, who, while heroically preserving owing to the ever-changing con- of Habeas Corpus." their national spirit through eighteen centuries, of dispersions and ditions. In every sphere of nationmany persecutions, are without the experience or the means al and industrial life, we can see required for government and its international duties. A Jewish a tendency towards the establish-Palestine or a Jewish National Home might have been previously ment of central authorities, for we has been discovered in the person the heavy stuff of which dreams are made. It is now a slice of have learned by experience that of Ah Kam. Ah Kam was an in reality. An ancient and invisible star seemed indeed to point the only in this way can good results ordinary hewer of wood and way. That star to the Jews all over the world is an idea, appre- be obtained. Now more than hended but not beholden, but, unlike an idea, it is physical, tangible, lever is co-operation and mutual fixed in time and place. That star is Zion. The Jews receive assistance required, and the banks moral support from the prophesy of Micah: "But in the last days mentioned above have taken it shall come to pass that the mountain of the House of the Lord bold and far-seeing step. In the shall be established in the top of the mountains, and it shall be next few years British trade wil exalted above the hills and people shall flow unto it. And many need all the help it can get, and nations shall come, and say, Come and let us go up to the British Overseas Bank is a sun on the 5th day of the third became deaf, found great belp in the Eastern Exchange Banks, we mountain of the Lord and to the house of the God of Jacob and He real effort in this direction, for it will teach us of His ways, and we will walk in His paths, for the aims at providing additional down Pitt Street and there he rain, and biographers have share of the financial needs conlaw shall shall go forth of Zion and the word of the Lord from facilities for British import and saw a delightfully big hat of the asserted that the "Pathetic sequent on the expansion of trade,

Jerusalem." Jewish opinions have not agreed as to what is to be the supreme the working of the different fashion. It was 36 inches great composer's mind during a expansion which we can reason. After her capture by the Germans power in Palestine. Some conceived a wide and undefined inter- banks, each of which covers national suzerainty, others a protectorate by a single great Power different territory. The new bank or by a League of Nations, while some suggested that it should be intends to establish branches assumed by Great Britain, France or Italy. The Zionists seemed abroad, which will make it unnow to have arrived at a unanimous decision, and, according to necessary for each of the five as Keats would say: "A thing of "Fingal's Cave." The descrip coming years. Reuter, they are in favour of rule by the League of Nations with banks to have a separate branch | beauty and a joy for ever." Ah tive effects contained in this Great Britain as mandatory. When the aim of Zionism is accom- abroad and still be represented Kam felt a great desire to take composition are wonderful and plished, Palestine will be the home of the Jewish people not because throughout the world. The move the hat and, after a few minutes' could not fail to carry their it will contain all the Jews in the world (this is impossible) but is a far-seeing one and will un- consultation with his conscience, meaning even to the most Mr. W. M. Hughes, the Austrabecause it will be the centre to which all Jews will look as their doubtedly meet with success. home and the source of all that is most essentially Jewish. Palestine will be the country in which Jews will be found, just as Ireland is the country in which we would look for the real Irish type. though there are more Irishmen outside Ireland than in it. And similarly Palestine will be the home of Judaism, not because there will be no Judaiam anywhere else, but because in Palestine the Jewish spirit will have free play, and there the Jewish mind and E. B. Green and Mr.P. A. Yvano stallholder's, brought him up Silver Ring "on Saturday even- with a representative of for 6d. after carefully acraping character will express themselves as they can nowhere else. For instance, the first Hebrew University is to-day being erected on the Mount of Olives everlooking the city of Jerusalem. The Jews in latter won by 400 to 298. Mr. Wood: "Do you want to call self to be an artiste of high Organization, he said that the ing an Emerson exposed for Palettine are to-day creating the first germ of a new life. It seems in a laid where everything still remains to be done, the Jews should strong game throughout, seldom "Yes."—Mr. Wood: "Who is of Madame Alice Gomes, Miss out to make Australia a great Of the irrecistible thrill which in a laid where everything still remains to be done, the Jews should begin by oreating a centre of spiritual and intellectual development, but it is not a paradox for those who know the soul of the Jew, who knows that when the mind is given fullest play, that when he has centre for the development of Jewish consciousness this will be considered to the highest break was 31; by consider with the fullfillment of his material needs. The University in Jerusalem is to teach everything still remains to be done, the Jews should making less than double figure he?"—Ah Ksm: "It is Ah Boyd has the most beautiful constitution industrial country. Each way of Riskin's Seven Limbs way, of R

NOTES AND COMMENTS:

THE LATE MR. DYER BALL

By the death of Mr. Dyer Ball, the Chinese have lost a true friend, who probably knew and appreciated their outlook on life as it is given few Europeans to To old residents in the Colony his familiar figure easily recalled, and those who knew him best speak of him as man of high character who, whilst possessing decided views, was always ready to give ear to those who did not see eye to eye with him. That he did a lot for the Chinese is comknowledge, whilst pen was used to good effect in his books giving an insight into native customs and his life in Hongkong, and he left Mr. R. E. Lindsell fined them the Colony carrying with him \$3 each to-day. the love of many who had seen his work, official and social, here. Despite his burden of years, since the war he had done his bit by long be remembered. R.I.P. INFLUENZA. It will have been noticed from

a Morning Post telegram which we published yesterday that the influenza outbreak in Shanghai has again become worse, and that numerous cases, especially March there were reported to the amongst foreigners, are develop- Medical Officer of Health, two for practically all the deaths fever one death from small pox following the "flu" have been and eight cases (six deaths) of from supervening pneumonia. In cerebro spinal fever. All were pointing out that Shanghai is Chinese. During the 24 hours uncomfortably near Hongkong, ended 4th March one Chinese scare, but we emphasise this died from bubonic plague and point again because we are there were four Chinese deaths anxious that due precau- from cerebro spinal fever. tions be taken here against a spread of the disease. The public itself can do its part in this direction by observing even elementary rules of hygiene. But we think the time has come when" the health authorities ought to be issuing a circular of advice connothing like taking time by the

Too much importance cannot

Scotland, and the Williams Dea-

BILLIARDS.

THE CHAMPIONSHIP.

vich met in the Colony's for punishment this morning ing last. As on the previous Production the organ of the that amount together. Of the Billiards Championship, and the before Mr. J. R. Wood. occasion, the vocalist showed her- British Empire Producers' delight in surreptitiously devour-

THE PACE THAT KILLS WOULDN'T BE SO BLD IF IT KILLED ONLY THE PACEMAKER.

shows one fatal case each of plague, enteric and cerebro-spinal fever. All were Chinese.

for Honolulu.

habits. As a sinologue he had! Twenty-nine gambless were text-books that thousands of Hongkong, Canton Macao Steam-jects. Europeans have been made ac- boat Company's lighter, near the quainted with the Chinese wharf. They were all squatting language. He spent just half of in the hold below, playing fantan.

hard over.

hysterical moods causing intense heartily. amusement.

the evidence given here. It is my duty to inform you that you

A pukka Chinese Touchstone drawer of water. He did not possess a headgear, and decided on the style that he thought Mrs. Ah Kam would be pleased with. So it came to pass that at 8 o'clock after the setting of the export trade, and at centralising newest, and most up-to-date Sonata" first found birth in the both here and in the East, an decided that it should be one of untrained ear. the many items in his wardrobe. his Government has just granted. He had not gone very many £200,000 in bounties for the At the V.R.C. last night, Capt, and, finding that the hat was a Vanity Fair Company, sing "The manufacture. In an interview dictionary which he had bought The winner played a very any witnesses?"-Ah Kam: attainments. With the exception Commonwealth Government are sale on an open secondhand stall.

MUSICAL JOTTINGS.

(BY "ENHARMONIC")

Some weeks ago, I referred to play at the church services and of new shares. also the enlargement of the choir. The Chairman (Sir Montagu C.

stated intervals.

it was rescued by Beyer, who new shares torted "The devil you say! I Exchange just got that same idea myself." permission to deal in

Many of the great composers aplendid Reserves, and received their inspirations from credit in the market, nature. Beethoven, before he feel confident that, as one in dismeter, forming an apex at thunderstorm. There are many ably anticipate, provided peace the latter fitted her out with the top. It was made of the tone-pictures of nature, one of and good Government both best Chinese bamboo and was, the most striking of which is home and abroad prevail in the 1,200 horse-power. In connec-

CHARTERED BANK.

THE INCREASE OF CAPITAL.

An extraordinary general meet- returned prisoners one stands out the propositions made by Lieut, ing of the Chartered Bank of for its characteristic meanness Mann, at the annual meeting of India, Australia and China was and cunning. Many men were the seatholders of St. Andrew's held in London on December 18 reported as being confined in Church, in connection with the for the purpose of increasing the certain camps who had never been inauguration of an orchestra to capital of the Bank by the issue near those camps, if, indeed, they As Lieut. Mann stated, the Turner), in moving the resolu- addresses were stolen by the By the Shinyo Mara yesterday object in view was to make the tion, which was subsequently prisoner, says a correspondent,

attend. The suggestions were in 1860 was £644,000, the Friedrichsfeld. He was employed received with something ap- Reserve then stood at £5,000. behind the German lines in proaching enthusiasm and, as a In 1884 the capital was raised to France until November 11, when gesult, the proposer was left a £800,000 and the Reserve stood he was turned loose with the rest." few equals, and it is from his arrested yesterday on beard a free hand to carry out his pro- at £105,000. The Reserve subse- German mentality cannot be unquently more or less disappear. derstood by anyone but a German. ed; but in later years it was again built up steadily, and by It is gratifying to learn that the year 1907, when the Capital There is a very general impres-Lieut. Mann's disinterested of the Bank was raised from sion that Poland is a land of imefforts have already met with £800,000 to £1,200,000, we then mensely powerful nobles who considerable success, several in- had a Reserve of £1,500,000. possess the greater part of the strumentalists baving volunteered Since that date the Reserve has country. This certainly was the Owing to the fog, a collision their services for the orchestra, steadily increased, and to-day we case in Poland, as indeed in most carrying out special literary work between two of the Star Ferry which it is proposed to accom- have a Reserve of £2,000,000 European countries, but times for the Admiralty and the War bosts, was narrowly averted this modate in the front row of seats sterling, as compared with an end of the morning. One of the ferries had in the Church. In addition to capital of the Bank of £1,200,000. The Directors are of opinion that land. In Russian Poland, for the Admiralty and the War bosts, was narrowly averted this modate in the front row of seats sterling, as compared with the have changed, and it is now the astern and only missed the angmented, due to an offer of the time has now arrived when between 1875 and 1910, no approaching ferry by a few yards, financial recognition to the choir to meet the expansion of trade, less than 2,500,000 acres changthe latter having to put the helm boys for their services at practices. and increased financial demands, ed hands, with peasants as the both here and in the East, we buyers. In Galicia the large can safely recommendan increase estates represented 42.4 per cent The significance of the fact in capital. As you know, we of the territory in 1886, but in During the week ended 1st that the venture has met with have decided to issue the new 1902 this figure had fallen to 37.2 success should not be too lightly shares at a figure which will be a per cent. At the present time 76 passed over, for had support for substantial gift practically per cent of the cultivated land of amongst foreigners, are develop- Medical Officer of Health, two passed over, for had support for substantial gut practically in the hands of the ing preumonia. This, of course, deaths from plague, one case of the scheme been lacking in a to the existing shareholders, peasants, while in Russian is the worst form of the complaint, diphtheria, one death from enteric sufficient degree to make its looking at the price issued as Poland they possess 70 per cent. realisation impracticable, a severe compared with the market price A similar phenomenon is to be damper would have been placed of to-day. In 1907 the new remarked in Prussian Poland. upon what is the first attempt, shares were issued at £40; that And this process of the passing since the war, to provide good is £20 premium as we propose of land from the gentry to the healthy music at definite and to-day, and I think our shares peasants is continuing. then stood between 50 and 60, certainly not above 60, and to-day the market quotation is between time, writes an R.T.O., in the To my mind, and I know there |89 and 90, so that what we Manchester Guardian with hunare many who agree, it does not propose to-day is really a dreds of dispossessed French The Frawley Company gave a much matter whether such music substantial gift to our sharehold- peasants. They are a really The Frawley Company gave a much matter whether such music substantial gill to our similarion of "A Pair is rendered in a public hall or in ers, and we are exceedingly glad We have a French Commission of Sixes" at the Canton Club a Church, and if those whose to do so, because the shareholders Militaire" now, thanks be, so Theatre, Shameen, on Tuesday, duty it is to look after our have been wise in past that they are not in my departand the house was kept in roars spiritual welfare are assisted in generations and have not ment any more—which does not, taining simple hints as to what pre- of laughter. Our correspondent their work by choosing the objected to the annual however, prevent them from These should be freely circulated given by Miss Anzonetta Lloyd, I shall refer to the matter again position of the holding of their the station for hours—sometimes amongst both the European and whose part as the spoilt wife, later on; in the meantime I con- own shares in the market. Now even for days, surrounded by

> payable at fairly long intervals, appears to be to prevent those and in such amounts as would from the desolated districts from Inspirations for themes which suit the convenience of the returning to villages which aren't The Chinese who is alleged to have eventually proved to be smaller shareholders. To those there any more. They are not. masterpieces have come to well- who are willing to make one pay- of course, allowed to go there, known composers in curious ment we are prepared to allow and the reason is explained to places. A story is told of Greig, a discount of 5 per cent them, which does not prevent which there is no reason to dis- Then interest on instalments will them from telling the most believe, who went fishing with be free of income tax, and stupendous lies about their intendbelieve, who went fishing with be free of income tax, and ed destination and trying every his friend Beyer. After a while, fractional certificates for one-third possible subterfuge to get back a musical theme came into Greig's share will be issued, so that the home—an example of the homing head and he jotted it down on a holders of shares on the Register instinct which I suppose you small piece of paper, placing it on the 8th proximo may take full would find in no one but the will not be surrendered until the on a bench at his side. Unobserv- advantage of the allotment. For French. Those that do manage ed by Grieg, a puff of wind example, a holder of four old to get through—and I suppose carried it into the water, whence shares will be allocated two some do-must inevitably starve, and read it, put it in his pocket and fractional certificates of one-third to ask for rations from, nor any then whistled the air. Greig each. A holder of eight shares possible food for them to get. turned like a flash and said: will become entitled to five new "What was that?" Beyer answer- shares and a fractional certificate ed nonchalently "Only an idea for one-third, and so on. Applicjust got," whereupon Grieg re- stion is being made to the Stock Committee fractional certificates..... With our increased capital, moon, Ah Kam took a stroll thunderstorms and wind and shall be in a position to meet our

> > AUSTRALIAN STEEL BOUNTIES.

his Government has just granted story of his romantic rise from a yards when a Chinese constable I had the pleasure of again encouragement in the Com- Minister. He tells of the joy exchanged greetings with him hearing Miss Eileen Boyd, of the monwealth of iron and steel derived in studying a tattered old and will be the home of hundreds of talented young Jews.

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TO-DAY'S MISCELLANY.

Amongst the revelations of German brutality and foulness which we are hearing from existed at all, and the parcels sent to them from home to those fifteen U.S. naval seamen left, as services more attractive to those carried unanimously, said, inter has never been in Germany at. well as 224 Filipino emigrants who perhaps would not otherwise alia:—The capital of this Bank all, although his address was

I have been having a feverish instalments on the new shares, ion. The greatest difficulty of all two as there are no troops for them

> An echo of the German sea raiders comes from the South Pacific. There on the coast of Lord Howe Island lies the wreck of the Seeadler, of Atlantic fame the two years ago. According to reports from the Maritime Departour ment of the Chamber of Comour merce, the raider is to be sold by we the French Government. Though of her hull is badly "damaged, the Seesdler's engines are in good condition, and there is also a large quantity of hawsers, tanks. and other equipment. The famous raider was at one time the barque at powerful Diesel oil engines of tion with the sale it is reported that no bid under £400 can be considered.

In his newly-published "Life" lian Prime Minister, says that Mr. J. R. Clynes relates: the ten-year-old drudge in an Oldham cotton mill to the rank of King's

EG ISLATIVE COUNCIL.

those present were:

Severn, C.M.G.1

General F. Ventris.)

Acting Colonial Secretary. C.B.E., Attorney General.

Affairs.

O.B.E., Colonial Treasurer.

Director of Public Works. The Hon. Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe, and third readings. Capt. Superintendent of Police.

The Hon. Mr. D. Landale. The Hon. Mr. P.H. Holyoak. The Hon. Mr. Ho Fook. The Hon. Mr. Lau Chu Pak. Mr. A. Dyer Ball, (Clerk of

FINANCIAL

Conneils.

The following financial min- persons. utes, recommended by H. E. the The Hon. Attorney General Officer Administering the Gov- said that this Bill was another ernment, were referred to the part of the same policy which the Finance Committee and subse- Bill just passed dealt with, for

vote Royal Observatory, special now enemies, to gain control

expenditure, typewriter. vote Public Works, Extraordinary, was to prohibit the carrying on Kowloon, miscellaneous, repair- of banking business by any pering and coaling yard for Govern- son who now is, or has been, an ment launches.

HONGKONG AND AVIATION. In the absence of the Hon. Mr

Pollock the Hon. Mr. P. H Holyoak asked the following The Bill also gives power of questions :-

1. Will the Government draw the attention of the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the importance to the Colony of Hongkong of its being made one of the Stations in the proposed Imperial Service which is being angarated?

2. Will the Government consider the advisability of reserving a large area in the North Western portion of the plain in the middle of which the Sheung Shui Railway Station is situate for the purpose of an Aerodrome?

The Hon, Colonial Secretary replied as follows:

1. This Government has ad dressed the Secretary of State on the subject of the policy to be pursued by the Colony in this matter.

2. The question of a site for an serodrome is being kept in view. It is not possible to make any pronouncement on the subject. NON-FERROUS METALS BILL.

The Hon. Attorney General moved the second reading of the Bill'intituled An Ordinance to restrict temporarily the persons who may engage in business connected with certain non-ferrous metals and metallic ores.

The Hon. Attorney General said that this Bill was part of the reperial policy to protect certain ROCKS materials during a period after the war. The object was to prevent those persons, who are now enemies, from making attacks on such essential busiand from possessing BOAT such essential ores and materals after the war, when they shall cease, technically, to be our enemies. Experience has shown that such attacks have been made in the pest, for

political and other reasons, and the idea of the Bill is to provide that no trade shall be carried on HONGKONG AND AVIATION. in metals or ores without a licence from the Governor-in-RESTRICTING ENEMY COMMERCE. | Council and licences shall not be given to any person who now is, or has been, an A meeting of the Legislative enemy subject, or any firm which Council was held in the Council is under the control of a person or Chamber this afternoon, when persons who now is, or has been, an enemy subject. Provision H.E. the Officer Administering would be made for exemption of the Government (Hon. Mr. Claud businesses which only do a small amount of business in these H.E. the General Officer Com- particular non-ferrous metals. manding the Troops, (Major- The Bill was based on the English Act—the Non-Ferrous Metals The Hon. Mr. A.G.M. Fletcher, Industry Act, of last year—and differs from that Act only The Hon. Mr. J. H. Kemp, in certain minor details. The Bill gives power to search the The Hon. Mr. E. R. Hallifax, premises of such persons carrying O.B.E., Secretary for Chinese on such business and businesses under the control of those The Hon. Mr. C. Mc I. Messer. persons. There were certain supplementary provisions which The Hon. Mr. W. Chatham, it was not necessary to go into The Bill then passed its second

BANKING PROHIBITIONS.

The Hop. Attorney General moved the second reading of the Bill intituled An Ordinance to prohibit the carrying on of banking business for the benefit of or under the control of certain

quently approved:- "the protection of essential bus-A sum of \$31.55 in mid of the inesses from attempts of persons. of those businesses, after the A sum of \$6,300 in aid of the war. The idea of the Bill enemy subject, or any firm which is under the control of such persons, and to make it a punishable offence, by fine or imprisonment, to carry on such business. search and seizure for contravention of the Ordinance. Power is also given to the Governor-in-Council to order any business which is being carried on in contravention of the Ordinance, to be wound up, and the Governorin-Council is also given power to make regulations for the manner in which such windings up are to be carried out. It has been found impossible to provide in the Bill for the exact method of winding up, as it was difficult to foresee all the points that might arise, but it is hoped that as the Ordinance makes it a punishable offence to carry on such business, no winding

ap will be required. (Continued on Page 10.)

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STORM WARNINGS.

The Japanese Department Communications has arranged to give storm warnings by wireless at Woosung. to all vessels at sea. Formerly Mar. at 11 a.m. the Central Meteorological Observatory sent telegrams to the wire-Mar. at 11 a.m. less stations at Kagoshima, Telephone No. 36. Shimonoseki, Choshi, and other places, and from these stations wireless warnings were despatched only to vessels which had previously arranged for this service. The messages will be sent out twice every two hours.

THE STANDARD UNIFORM.

Now that, under an Order in Council signed by the King, a Till standard uniform has been adopted for the officers of the Merchant Service, difficulties have been experienced in their obtaining it owing largely to the cloth being held up for purposes of Naval uniform. The Imperial Service Guild has drawn attention to the matter with the result that the Board of Trade is taking steps to secure priority treatment for the supply of standard cloths for Merchant Service uniforms upon the same lines as that now accorded to uniforms of the Royal Navy.

CRUISERS FOR ATLANTIC MAIL SERVICE.

The General Post Office is in communication with shipping interests here, says the London correspondent of the Daily Dispatch with the object of bringing about an early improvement in the Transatlantic mail service. The service has suffered severely through submarine losses, with the result that it is now more than 50 per cent, below the standard of pre-war days. Some time, however, must elapse before any appreciable improvement can be brought about by the ordinary methods, and the suggestion been made that this country and the United States should each allocate two or three of its largest and fastest cruisers to the mail service. It is said that these vessels could eaily be adapted for the purpose, and that they could make the Atlantic trip within three and one-third days, carrying about 5,000 passengers as well as HAIPHONGTaksang the mails. Another argument STRAITS & Calcutta ... Yatshing adduced in support of the suggestion is that the end of the war and the results of the Peace SHANGHAI via Swatow Talsang Conference will make it very will ever be required for fighting purposes again.

MERCHANT SERVICE'S DEMANUS.

Minister asking that the following and essential points to be discussed at the forthcoming Peace Conhis confederates shall be brought of Captain Fryatt shall be avenged. (3) That the widows, orphans and other dependants of officers and men of the Merchant Service shall receive and that, in the meantime, their totally inadequate allowances and pensions under the present Government Scheme shall be substantially improved. (4) That all officers and men of merchant ships who have been incapacitated from further employment at sea owing to the circumstances of the war shall be fully compensated. (5) That all those officers and men of the Merchant Service who have been held captive by the enemy since even before the beginning of the war or, otherwise, have been taken captive by the enemy on the high seas shall receive full pay for the period of their internment. (It has been decided by the House of Lords that their pay during internment is not legally claimable). Also that the memy shall compensate them for the undermining of their constitutions caused by the suffering and the privations they have endured. (6) That no enemy alien shall in future be allowed to serve in the British Merchant Bervice as officer or man.

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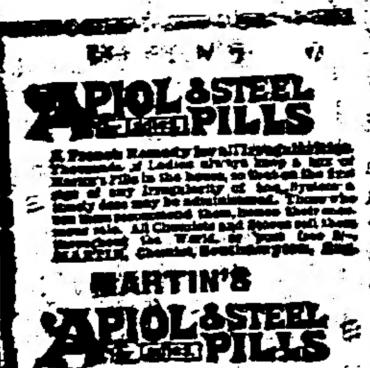
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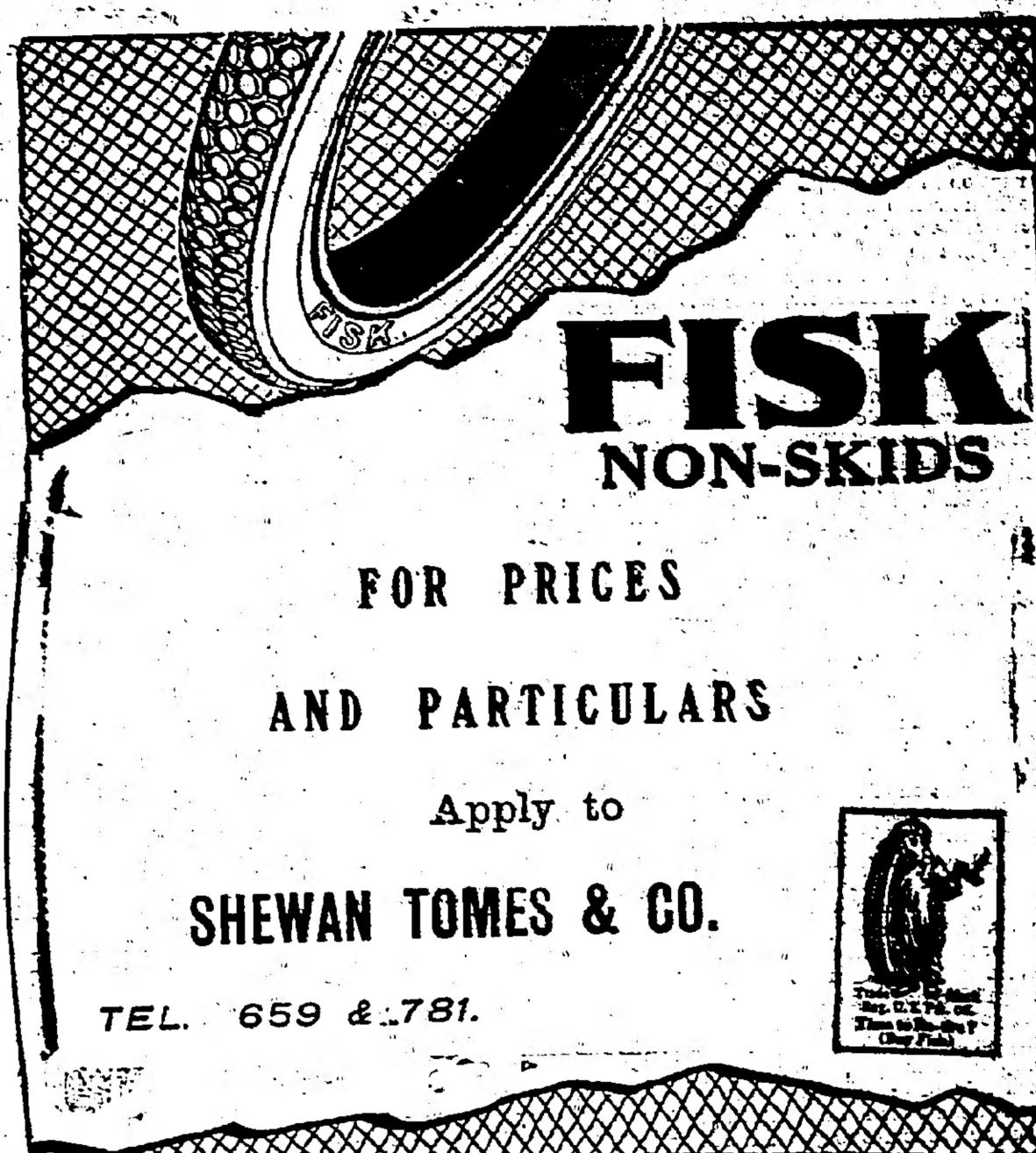
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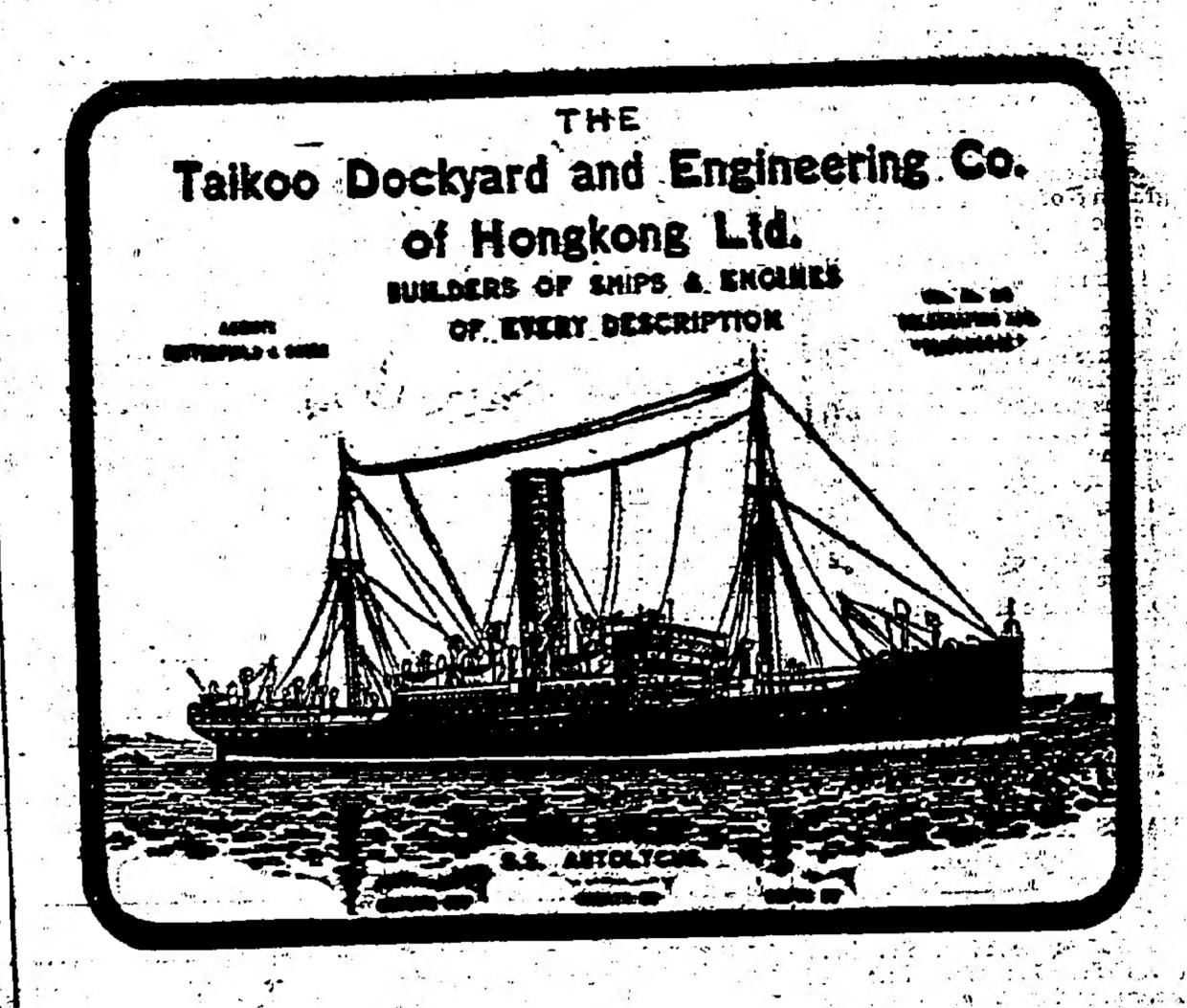
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MORE ENTERPRISE.

The management of the Coronet Theatre believes in moving with the times. Its latest demonstration of enterprise is the completion of arrangements whereby lighting current is able to run five-part film without any interrubtion in its continuity, while it will now also be possible to run a five-part film and a serial in the same programme. Theatreis also at intervals sprayed with pine and lavender, which is most refreshing and adds to the comfort of patrons.

To-night a special attraction is being offered in the Triangle Fine Arts five-part comedy, "Susan Rocks the Boat." This picture is in the high comedy style of Little Meena's Romance." with Dorothy Gish and Owen Moore. in the leading roles, and with a follow :dash of Griffith suspense toward the end. It well constructed, acted and well handled.

Susan Johnstone, with a large fortune and no responsibility, tires of her brainless existence, story of Joan of Arc, is inspired to become a modern Joan. She decides to give her life to the emancipation of the poor and persuades Jasper Thornton, a brilliant criminal lawyer, to aid her in founding the Joan Arc Mission in the slums. The local element looks upon her work as an easy solution of the prevalent slum desire to avoid work. All the loafers in the neighbourhood take advantage of the young girl's innocence to get gifts of money. The owner of the property, Cardigan, who runs the principal dive in the district. looks upon Susan with different eyes and schemes to get her out in his power.

Meantime Larry O'Neil, son of the late-political boss of the ward, the case were rather painful, resents the society effort to uplift because they showed what went the district. Susan, who has a on in a solicitor's office behind speaking acquaintance with the the solicitor's back. The defendyoung man, naturally resents his attitude. As time goes on, Larry another man who had since left finds himself more interested in his (Mr. Faithfull's) employment Susan's work, so much so that he and was represented as formerly puts an end to much of the petty being employed by Mr. Gardiner. grafting of which she has been Hehadsince foundout this was not the victim.

and this is almost fatal. A no-good was engaged on a commission has lured to Cardigan's rooms plenty of business, and the conand tries to tell Larry so that he citions were that defendant was can rescue her. Larry is pestered to finance any business he almost to the breaking point be- secured. Plaintiff, in fact fore he will listen. Then he looked to defendant for monies loses no time. Susan has been to carry on any cases underputting up a fair defence but is taken which were introduced about exhausted when Larry by defendant. Plaintiff then breaks in. Several of Cardigan's went on to explain at considerable followers interfere but are overcome. The end is obvious.

"FLU." AT SHANGHAI.

CASES AT THE AMERICAN SCHOOL.

At present there are some 30 cases of influenza in Shanghai, (says the Shanghai Gazette of February 22) all but one or two of them being confined to the students in the American School. Reports this afternoon show that 21 dormitory pupils, 4 day students and 3 instructors have influenza at this institution. Four new cases were reported to-day.

It is believed that the disease was contracted at the Chinese if it was not paid, and the sum Y.M.C.A. last week during a basketball game, as the boys ing. Finally, plaintiff was comfrom the American School who pelled to issue a warrant for participated in the contest were the first to come down with the latter went to Canton. Subse-

Those afflicted with influenza are progressing nicely and there is little fear that the malady will prove serious. All students are quarantined and not allowed to leave the compound and every precaution is being taken to confine the disease to this quarter. which is now running rampant in been exposed.

SUMMARY COURT.

SOLICITOR AND SOLICITOR'S CLERK.

In the Summary Court this morning, before Mr. Justice Melbourne, Mr. R. C. Faithfull claimed from Chan Chun-shan, solicitor's clerk the sum \$205,35, under a verbal contract between plaintiff defendant, in February, 1918, and as balance for monies received on account of plaintiff to pay away, but which defedant had failed to pay. Plaintiff also claims costs.

The plaintiff appeared in person and the defendant was represented by Mr. W. B. Hind. Particulars of claim were as

1. The plaintiff paid the sum of \$190.20 at the defendant's request on May 28 to Messrs. D. Almada and Mason and which the plaintiff has been compelled to and, after much reading of the pay over again to Messrs Johnstone, Stokes and Master, after crediting \$150 defendant to plaintiff since the action was brought.

Plaintiff claims \$40.20. 2. The amount of plaintiff's costs due from the Mow Lan Hin firm to the plaintiff in Summary Jurisdiction action No. 133 of MALINI THE MAGICIAN. 1918 and payable by the defendant to the plaintiff under the terms of his engagement with plaintiff-\$133.70.

3 Amount handed by plaintiff to defendant on May 3, 1918, for payment to the Sui Fung firm, but which defendant has neglect-

ed to do-\$31.45. Mr. Faithfull said the facts of ant was introduced to him by true, but defendant had been in But there remains a trace of a solicitor's office—he thought resentment for her interference. Mr. Aggasiz's. The defendant

length how he paid money received in a successful action introduced by defendant to secure the release from arrest of another man under instructions from the defendant. Later on, however, the plaintiff in the action that succeeded went to plaintiff's office and demanded his money awardthat defendant was responsible. having authorised the payment of the amount as stated. Eventually plaintiff was compelled to pay the amount again to Messrs. Johnstone, Stokes and Master. On another occasion, plaintiff succeeded in an action and the successful litigant applied for the money, and it was found that the fendant had taken the money and had produced a receipt with a signature upon which was not plaintiff's. Plaintiff demanded the return of the money, threatening proceedings was forthcoming the next morndefendant's arrest, whereupon the quently the warrant was with-

Evidence was then taken. The case was adjourned until to-morrow.

drawn on payment of a sum of \$50

America, Japan and other coun-While this is the most serious tries. It is believed that the cases epidemic of influenza which has will be confined to the American visited Shanghai, doctors say it is School, as it is segregated, and much lighter than the "flu" few others than the students have

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Without exception newspapers H. K. Wharves sa. of Australia, where Malini, the Kowloon Docks b. magician, has just concluded a Shai Docks lengthy tour, proclaim him the N. Engineerings b. greatest sleight-of-hand artist that has "appeared in the Commonwealth. This is no light praise when the names of the great illusionists and conjurers who Land Invest. have visited Australia brought to memory. Malini is not an "illusionist" as L Reclamations n. theatre-goers know the word. He | West Points does not rely on intricate and elaborate mechanical devices to Ewos ... b-t. 195 88. 200 enable him to deceive the senses Kung Yiks of his audiences, nor does he take Lau Kung Mows b. from 15 to 20 minutes in Orientals elaborating a trick. Malini has S'hai Cottons. a pair of hands wonderful for Yangtszepoos their dexterity. On these alone character discovers that the girl basis, saying he could bring he relies to baille his patrons. His .paraphernalia is so limited, glasses, cards, coins, a piece of rope, eggs, fruit, penknife, and a cigar, as to be almost negligible. With Dairy Farms these few accessories Malini finds H. K. Electrics b. \$76 8a- 761 no difficulty in entertaining his Macao Electrics audiences for a couple of hours. Ropes With cards his ingenuity is Trams, Low Level sa. almost unbelievable. He does the most extraordinary feats in such simple mauner as to make peeple doubt their own eyes. Mahini's sesson here will be a short one, commencing on Saturday evening 8th March, at the Wiseman's "" City Hall, St. Andrew's Hall. ed by the Court. He was told Seats for any night of the season may be booked at Moutrie's.

BOMANCE OF A BRASS BUTTON.

The popularity of the British troops lately in Copenhagen often led to amusing incidents. A young khaki-clad officer, when passing one day through the Amalienhorg Plads, was overtaken near the Palace by a lady who addressed him in English. saying "You have lost a button," at the same time handing him a military brass button which she had picked up. lieutenant, remembering the taste of Danish ladies for this sort of souvenir, offered her the button as a keepsake, which she graciously accepted. The lady continued her way in the direction of the palace, where the sentinels, to the consternation of the officer, saluted her with deep respect. The officer, to satisfy his curiosity, asked the guard who the lady was, and to his great surprise he learnt "that the" Queen of Denmark had accepted his gift.

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The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from THURSDAY, the 13th March, 1919, until SATURDAY, the 22nd March, 1919, both days inclusive.

By order of the BOARD OF DIRECTORS. Hongkong, 5th March, 1919.

RUSSIAN DOCKYARD.

JAPANESE TO PURCHASE

The Kawasaki Dockyard Co. intends to purchase a Russian shipbuilding yard at Blagovestchensk and has depatched a number of officials to conduct negotiations with the Russian owner.

The yard was seized by the Bolsheviks and turned to a magazine, but has lainunder Japanese occupation since the Bolshevik retreat. Later, the Suzukis, Kobe, and the Okuras, Tokyo, each approached the yard management with an offer to purchase it, and eachtried to outbid the other till they both were obliged to give up their intended purchase. The Kawasaki alone have persevered, and there is a good prospect for a happy issue to their negotiations.

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NOTICE. - Mr. John Arnold NOTICE. - The Thirty-third Yearly General Meeting of Club, will be held in the Club House on FRIDAY, the 14th March, 1919, at 5.30 p.m.

> By Order. E. DES VŒUX, Secretary

Hongkong, 5th Maich, 1919.

SUPPRESSES FLIES, MOSQUITOS | ception of these of Chinese ing officers have been appointed race, desiring to leave the and authorised to sign on behalf Interest allowed on current ac-Colony should apply in person between the hours of 9 s.m. to I p.m. and 2 p.m. to 4 n.m. daily -AT THE PASS OFFICE, POST OFFICE BUIL ING.

Applicants will be required to produce Passports or identification papers.

All persons with certain excep tions who remain in the Colony for more than 7 days are required to Register themselves under the REGISTRATION of PERSONS ORDINANCE 1916 Forms of Registration giving the particulars required may but obtained at the G. P. O. and a

all Police Stations. The Penalty for non-com pliance is a fine -not exceeding

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To the Justices of the Peace. of the Colony of Hongkong

Gentlemen.

It is my intention to stand for the vacancy on the Legislative Council to represent you during Paid-up Capital312,279,800,00 the time that The Hon. Mr. Reserve Funds 3,197,400,00 Pollock, K. C. holds the position 15 min; of Acting Attorney General.

My nomination has been proposed by Mr. A. O. Lang, and seconded by Mr. G. C. Moxon.

addressed you with reg rd to my caudidature for the same seat and I can only repeat that if have the bocour to be elected I Kirin, Tsitsihar, Newchang, Lizoshall direct my energies to the yuanchow, Heho, Hsinmingfu, solution of the Housing Problem the further development of the Tichling, Chinghsien, Sifeng, Hulan, Colony by means of new roads Suiwafu, Hailunfu, Ninguta, Kungopening up new areas easily chuling Lizoyang Puyu, Yenchi, accessible for all kinds of traffic Kaipingsien (Hupeh): Hankow, and the resumption of old and infanitary houses in the decsely populated parts of the City, on all of which matters I think I may Soochow, Yangchow, cl. im special qualifications.

I have the honour to be,

Gentlemen, Your Obedient Servant,

H. W. BIRD. Hongkeng, 2nd March, 1919

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The parcel post service has been resumed with Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Holland, Spain and Switzerland. For the present, however, only parcels obviously in the nature of gifus are acc-pted.

Allied soldiers in the various hospitals in Fiberia are badly in need of reading matter. Any books, new masses etc. for their use handed in as the G. P. O. will be packed and forwarded to them free.

Hogisting and Parcel Mails close strates earlier than the time given below wiffeds otherwise stated.

INWARD MAILS.

Canada-Per EMPRESS OF JAPAN, 7th

OUTWARD MAILS

TO-MORROW. Amor and Straits-Per HALFANG, 7th March. 8 a.m. Swatow, Shanghal and North China-Per KWEILIN, 7th March, \$ a.m. Straits, Bangkok, Ceylon, Manritiue, S.

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SATURDAY, 8th March. Piece-Pyr HADROTO, St. Mar. Value

- or YATSHING. 7th March.

Shanghai, North China and Jepan via Nasasaki-Per CARDIGAN-SHIRE, 8th March, 11 s.m. Shanghai & R. China -- Per KWANGSE, 8th March, 11 a.m. Shanghail N. China-Per YINGC OW,

8th March, 2 p.m. Swatow, Shanshal and N. China-Per TAISANG, 8th March, 5 p.m. SUNDAY, 9th March. Hoi Hong, 1870, Br., Capt. Evans, Foo- Ewatow, Amoy and Formosa via Keelung Abboth Miss B.M.

March 9 am MONDAY, 10th March. Per GLENIFFER, 10th Mar. Beg. 1.45pm. Letters 3.30 p.m. Blocksz J J

TUESDAY, 11th March. Swatow & Pangrok-Per LI INGCHOW 11th March, 9 s.m. Shanghel & N. China-Per SINKLANG lith March, II a.m. Swatow, Amey and Foochow-Per HAI-TAN, 11th March, 1 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, 12th March. Tientsin-Per KUEICHOW, 12th March Znm.

Swatow. Amoy and Formosa via Takao- Claudio P Per SOSHU M., 18th March, WEDNESDAY, 19th March.

Shanghai and North Chin*, Japan viz Nagazati, Canada, United South States. Centra! and America and Europe via V.n. Dalbourgo J O-uver-Per EMPRES: OF RUSel4, 19th March, Roz. 9.45 a.m. Letters 10.30 a.m.

MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS.

The R.MS. EMPRESS OF JAPAN left Vancouver for Hongkong, on the 13th February, and is due here or about the 7th March.

The American & Manchurian Lise AS, WALTON HALL from New York, is expected to arrive on the 15th March. The P. & O. s.s. NELLORE is expected Ferguson Capt F O to leave Singapore about 7th March at Figueros J A daylight, for Hongkoog

The R.M.S. s.s. MONTEAGLE left Heakma Wr & Mrs Sura Mn Moji for Hongkong on the 1st March, L. J. van Royer Sone K. and is due at Hongkong on the 5th inst.

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PASSENGERS DEPARTED.

Per S.S. SHINYO MARU, on Wednesday, March 5th, from Hongkong. Miles Mr & Mrs H Apear Mira Z Alexander W Alexander Mrs R E Means P B Mallinson B J AuFC Morrison D F -Per KAIJO MARU, 9th Abrens Mr & Mrs MMacGregor B.

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

(Continued on page 5),

The Bill then passed its second and third readings.

CONTRACTORS' LIABILITY.

The Hon. Attorney General moved the second reading of the Bill intituled An Ordinance to amend the Summary Offences Amendment Ordinance, 1918.

The Hon. Attorney General said this Bill proposes to repeal Section 20 of the Summary Offences Amendment Ordinance of 1918. That Section imposed upon contractors, in:certain cases, a oriminal liability for the acts of other persons who are not their servants. It was thought at the time of pussing that Ordinance that the particular circumstances justified the imposing of criminal liability. Certain objections had, however, been pointed out by the Secretary of State for the Colonies and it was realised the matter was carried a little too far in that Section, therefore it was proposed to repeal it.

The Bill then passed its second and third readings.

UNION INSURANCE CAPITAL.

The Hon. Mr. Holyoak moved the second reading of the Bill intituled An Ordinance to authorise the Union Insurance Society of Canton Limited to convert its silver capital into gold.

The Hon. Mr. P. H. Holyoak said the conversion was passed by a special resolution at a meeting of shareholders to the effect given in the Bill. The Union Insurance Society of Canton was well known and was one of the oldest established firms of its kind in the Far East. It started from a very small local concern and it had developed into the premier institution during the last ten years. It carried on the bulk of its business in countries where a gold currency exists and it was therefore essential that its silver capital should be converted into

gold currency. The Bill was then passed through its second and third readings.

-The Council then adjourned sine die.

ANOTHER CZAR STORY.

The Archangel correspondent of the Morning Post sends sensational story entailing that the Czar is not dead. The Grand Duke Cyril says he had a letter in November from Tatians, the Gzar's daughter, stating that the Emperor, Empress, and their daughters were all slive. A Bolshevik officer, who was order_ ed to carry out the death sentence, told the Emperor, "It is a matter of indifference to me who is shot. - I have only to produce the corpse with a bullet in the head and make the victim's identification impossible." Count T--- offered to sacrifice himself. The Czar protested, but the Count overruled him: The Czar escaped but his whereabouts are unknown.

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-Honghong Observatory, Mar. 6, 1939.

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